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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Monday, 2 November 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

1992 UNITED NATIONS/FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS PLEDGING CONFERENCE FOR THE WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME AND 1992 UNITED NATIONS PLEDGING CONFERENCE FOR DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES

11.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	1st meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber
3 p.m.-4 p.m.	2nd meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

1. Opening of the Conferences
2. Election of officers
3. Statements regarding pledges for the 1992 UN/FAO Pledging Conference for the World Food Programme
4. Adoption of the draft report (A/CONF.163/L.1)

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m.	52nd PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall
3 p.m.	53rd PLENARY MEETING	

Report of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development [79]:

(a) Report of the Conference (A/CONF.151/26, volumes I-IV);

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/598 and Add.1).

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	23rd meeting	Conference Room 4

Consideration of draft resolutions under all disarmament and international security agenda items (items 49-65, 68 and 142; 67 and 69)

Agenda items [49] (A/47/42, 303 and Add.1); [50] (A/47/42, 181, 355; [51] (A/47/42; A/C.1/47/INF/2); [52] (A/47/405); [54] (A/47/27, 77/Corr.1, 79); [55] (A/47/88, 387, 441, 449; A/C.1/47/L.11); [56] (A/47/93, 304); [57] (A/47/27); [58] (A/47/27, 181); [59] (A/47/468, 533); [60] (A/47/27, 78, 89, 181, 391, 422, 441, 449, 564, A/C.1/47/L.1); [61] (A/47/27, 42, 77/Corr.1, 79, 85, 89, 92, 93, 96, 181, 183, 225, 312, 313, 314, 316 and Add.1, 341, 342 and Corr.1, 356, 362, 370, 394, 437, 441, 449, 452, 482, 537; A/C.1/47/L.3, L.6, L.7, L.10 and L.12); [62] (A/47/27, 96, 301, 347, 359, 391, 469, 511, 564, 568; A/C.1/47/L.2, L.5); [63] (A/47/27, 42, 77, 79, 85, 321, 345, 346, 354, 371 and Add.1, 417, 470; A/C.1/47/7; A/C.5/47/19; A/C.1/47/L.4); [64] (A/47/88, 538); [67] (A/47/307, 375, 524; [68] (A/47/29); [69] (A/47/56, 57, 58, 60, 64, 67, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 81, 82, 88, 89, 94, 96, 97, 98, 99, 110, 122, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 133, 135, 136, 138, 153, 156, 157, 158, 160, 162, 163, 165, 166, 167, 170, 171, 172, 176, 177, 201, 205, 206, 208, 211/Cor.1, 213, 218, 221, 223, 224, 226, 227, 228, 233, 234, 239, 254, 258, 260, 267, 268, 269, 274, 275, 282, 284, 286, 290, 292, 300, 306, 318, 333, 335, 350, 351, 355, 357, 361, 372, 375, 380, 392, 421, 448, 497, 505 and Add.1, 516, 557, 561 and Corr.1, 570, 571, 572, 577, 579; A/C.1/47/3, 6); [142] (A/47/461, 467; A/C.1/47/4)

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	9th meeting	Conference Room 2

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East [73]

(a) Report of the Commissioner-General (A/47/13)

(b) Report of the Working Group on the Financing of the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East (A/47/576)

(c) Report of the United Nations Conciliation Commission for Palestine (A/47/413)

(d) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/438, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493 and 601)

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	24th meeting	Conference Room 1

Advancement of women [94] (A/47/38; A/47/82-S/23512, A/47/88-S/23563; A/47/340, A/47/368, A/47/377, A/47/391, A/47/508, A/47/564)

Continuation of general discussion

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	25th meeting	Conference Room 1
6 p.m.- 9 p.m.	26th meeting	Conference Room 1

1. Elimination of racism and racial discrimination [91]

   *Action on draft proposals A/C.3/47/L.3/Rev.1, L.9/Rev.1, L.10 and L.12**

2. Rights of peoples to self-determination [92]

   Action on draft resolutions A/C.3/47/L.4 and L.7

3. Social development [93]

   (a) Questions relating to the world situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and family

   (b) Crime prevention and criminal justice

   *Action on draft resolutions A/C.3/47/L.11, L.13-L.17 and L.19**

4. Advancement of women [94] (A/47/38; A/47/82-S/23512, A/47/88-S/23563; A/47/340, A/47/368, A/47/377, A/47/391, A/47/508, A/47/564)

   Continuation and conclusionn of general discussion

FIFTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	17th meeting	Conference Room 3

1. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [103]

   (A/C.5/47/16 and A/C.5/46/CRP.1; A/46/327 and Corr.1 and Add.1 (also agenda item 109))

   Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 [104]

(A/C.5/47/2 and Corr.1 (also agenda item 103), A/C.5/47/7 and A/47/7/Add.1 (also agenda items 103 and 110))

Programme planning [105]

(A/47/6, A/47/16 (Part I) and (Part II) and Add.1, A/47/32 (also agenda item 110), A/47/116 and A/47/159 and Add.1, A/47/407 (E/1992/11 and Add.1 and 2) and A/47/408 (E/1991/143) (also agenda item 12))

Continuation of the general debate

2. Personnel questions [112]

(A/47/416, A/47/508 (also agenda item 94); A/C.5/47/5, A/C.5/47/6, A/C.5/47/9, A/C.5/47/14 and A/C.5/47/20; A/C.5/46/2, A/C.5/46/7, A/C.5/46/9, A/C.5/46/13 and A/C.5/46/16; A/46/326 and Corr.1 and Add.1, A/47/140 and Add.1 and A/47/168 and Add.1 (also agenda item 109))

Continuation of the general debate

3. Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [111] (A/47/11)

Introductory statement and general debate

SIXTH COMMITTEE

4 p.m.- 7 p.m.	25th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its forty-fourth session [129] (A/47/10, A/47/95, A/47/441-S/24559)

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Room S-3361
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Room S-3361

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OTHER MEETINGS

A meeting of the cosponsors of draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.1 (Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on their Destruction), tabled under agenda item 60 (Chemical and bacteriological (biological) weapons) will be held on Monday, 2 November 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Tuesday, 3 November 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m.	54th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall
3 p.m.	55th PLENARY MEETING	

Report of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development [79]:

(a) Report of the Conference (A/CONF.151/26, volumes I-IV);

(b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/598 and Add.1).

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	25th meeting	Conference Room 4
3 p.m.	26th meeting	

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	10th meeting	Conference Room 2

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	27th meeting	Conference Room 1

FOURTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	7th meeting	Conference Room 1

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	18th meeting	Conference Room 3

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

SIXTH COMMITTEE

WORKING GROUP ON THE UNITED NATIONS DECADE OF INTERNATIONAL LAW

10 a.m.	12th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 6

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	26th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

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FIRST COMMITTEE

There will be an open-ended meeting of the GROUP OF THE FRIENDS OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE FIRST COMMITTEE on Tuesday, 3 November 1992, at 3.30 p.m. in Conference Room 4.

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SECOND COMMITTEE

The Second Committee will hold an informal meeting on Friday, 6 November 1992, from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. in Conference Room 2, to hear an address by Mrs. Helen Junz, Trade Representative of the International Monetary Fund to the GATT, on the subject of "The Uruguay Round", which will be followed by a question-and-answer period.

Members of delegations, Secretariat staff, representatives of non-governmental organizations and the media are invited to attend.

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The 1992 UNITED NATIONS/FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS PLEDGING CONFERENCE FOR THE WORLD FOOD PROGRAMME AND THE 1992 UNITED NATIONS PLEDGING CONFERENCE FOR DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES will hold its third segment on 3 and 4 November 1992 at 10 a.m., in the Trusteeship Council Chamber, which will be devoted to the 1992 United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities.

The following documents are available for the United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities: A/CONF.158/2 and A/CONF.160/1.

It would be appreciated if delegations which have not already done so, could submit the names of their representatives to both Pledging Conferences to Room 2977C (Mr. A. De Barros, ext. 3-2320).

Delegations wishing to address the Conference should inscribe the names of their representatives on the list of speakers which is open in Room 2977C, ext. 3-2320 or 3-5722.

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The 662nd meeting of the SPECIAL COMMITTEE AGAINST APARTHEID will be held on Wednesday, 4 November 1992, at 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 5.

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There will be an informal (closed) meeting of the Bureau of the COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION on Wednesday, 4 November 1992, at 3 p.m. in Room S-1027.

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OTHER MEETINGS

There will be a closed meeting of the COORDINATING BUREAU OF THE NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES on Wednesday, 4 November 1992, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 3.

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There will be a closed meeting of the GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE *(on restructuring: financial implications of current proposals)* on Wednesday, 4 November 1992, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 6.

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Briefing

There will be an informal briefing sponsored by the World Bank at which Mr. Andrew Steer, Deputy Director of the Environment Department of the World Bank, will discuss the new directions of the Bank in the light of Agenda 21 of UNCED, and the creation of a new vice-presidency for environmentally sustainable development. The meeting will be chaired by Mr. Wadi D. Haddad, Special Representative to the United Nations. The presentation will be followed by a discussion period.

The briefing will be held on Tuesday, 3 November 1992, from 12 noon to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. Members of delegations, Secretariat staff, representatives of non-governmental organizations and the media are invited to attend.

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Parliamentary Roundtable

Parliamentarians for Global Action will hold a Parliamentary Roundtable on Humanitarian Assistance in Situations of Armed Conflict on Wednesday, 4 November 1992, from 3 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6. All visiting parliamentarians are invited to participate.

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Weekly DPI/NGO Briefing

The DPI/NGO briefing on the theme "New directions and initiatives of the United Nations International Drug Programme" will take place on Thursday, 5 November 1992, from 10 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

At 10 a.m., the DPI video "High Hopes will be presented. At 10.30 a.m., the speaker will be: Mr. William Gaillard, Acting Head, External Relations and Public Information Office of the United Nations International Drug Control Programme.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 30 October 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

3129th meeting

Central America: efforts towards peace

Letter dated 28 October 1992 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24731)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/24737) which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Council then proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/24737).

Decision: The draft resolution (S/24737) received 15 votes in favour and was adopted unanimously as resolution 784 (1992).

Following the vote, the Security Council heard statements by the representatives of Venezuela and Ecuador.

3130th meeting

Letter dated 29 October 1992 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24736)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Angola, Brazil, Portugal and South Africa, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/24738) which had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations, and made oral revisions to the text in its provisional form.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard statements by the representatives of Portugal, Brazil, Angola and South Africa.

The Council then proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/24738), as orally revised in its provisional form.

Statements before the vote were made by the representatives of Cape Verde and the United States.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/24738), as orally revised in its provisional form, received 15 votes in favour and was adopted unanimously as resolution 785 (1992).

Following the vote, statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, the Russian Federation and Zimbabwe, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of France.

3131st meeting

The situation in Tajikistan

Letter dated 29 October 1992 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24739)

Letter dated 19 October 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Kyrgyzstan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/24692)

Letter dated 21 October 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Tajikistan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24699)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President of the Council made a statement (S/24742) on behalf of the Council.

3132nd meeting

The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Letter dated 29 October 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Bosnia and Herzegovina to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/24740)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President of the Council made a statement (S/24744) on behalf of the Council.

Committees

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE 8th meeting

Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa [33]

The Committee considered and approved the requests for hearings in connection with item 33 contained in documents A/SPC/47/L.4 and Add.1 to 8.

International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space [72]

The Committe continued its consideration of item 72.

The Chairman made a statement.

The Committee heard statements by the representatives of Canada, Australia, Egypt, Bulgaria, Kazakhstan, Viet Nam, Indonesia, Romania and Sri Lanka.

The Committee then proceeded to consider draft resolutions A/SPC/47/L.5 and A/SPC/47/L.6

The Committee adopted draft resolutions A/SPC/47/L.5 and A/SPC/47/L.6 without a vote.

The Chairman made a statement.

The Committee decided that the Chairman should address a letter to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee, drawing attention to the request contained in paragraph 29 of the Report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (A/47/20) so that it would be duly taken into account when the Fifth Committee deals with this matter.

The committee thus concluded its consideration of item 72.

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East [73]

It was announced that the Committee would begin consideration of item 73 on Monday, 2 November, that the list of speakers was open, and that it would be closed at the end of the meeting on Tuesday, 3 November.

THIRD COMMITTEE 23rd meeting

Advancement of women [94]

The Committee continued its consideration of the item and heard statements by the representatives of Mauritania, Norway (on behalf of the Nordic countries), Pakistan, Ethiopia, Romania, New Zealand (on behalf also of Australia and Canada), Thailand, Cyprus, the Republic of Korea and Chile.

Organization of work

The Chairman reminded the Committee that the deadline for the submission of draft proposals under item 94 was Monday, 2 November, at 6 p.m.

Social Development [93]

b) Crime prevention and criminal justice

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

*Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.19**

The representative of Italy, on behalf of the sponsors listed in the document, as well as the Bahamas, Belarus, Croatia, Hungary, Panama, Trinidad and Tobago and Uruguay, introduced the draft resolution.

FIFTH COMMITTEE 16th meeting

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [103]

Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 [104]

Programme planning [105]

The Committee continued the general debate on these items and heard statements by the representatives of Canada (on behalf also of Australia and New Zealand), Cameroon, Romania, Ukraine, Argentina (on behalf of the Rio Group), Norway (on behalf of the Nordic countries), Israel and India.

Personnel questions [112]

The Committee continued the general debate on this item and heard statements by the Legal Counsel, who introduced the report of the Secretary-General contained in A/C.5/47/14, and by the representatives of Indonesia, Brazil and the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya.

The Assistant Secretary-General for Human Resources Management, Mr. Abdou Ciss, made a statement of farewell to the members of the Committee. On behalf of the Committee, the Chairman paid tribute to Mr. Ciss.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

SIXTH COMMITTEE 24th meeting

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its forty-fourth session [129]

Statements were made by the Representatives of Malta, Sri Lanka, Uruguay, Venezuela, Chile, the United Kingdom, Thailand, Greece, Slovenia, Egypt and Bahrain.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

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International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights

HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE
Forty-sixth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

THURSDAY, 29 OCTOBER 1992

1193rd and 1194th meetings

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 40 of the Covenant [4]

The Committee began its consideration of the second periodic report of the Islamic Republic of Iran (CCPR/C/28/Add.15). In accordance with rule 68 of the rules of procedure, the representatives of the State party were present at the meetings, introduced the report submitted by their Government and replied to questions posed and observations made by members of the Committee.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

International Natural Rubber Agreement, 1987, concluded at Geneva on 20 March 1987

Acceptance: Denmark (30 October 1992)*

Approval: European Economic Community (30 October 1992)*

Ratification: Germany Ireland, Italy, Portugal and United Kingdom (30 October 1992)*

International Agreement on Jute and Jute Products, 1989, concluded at Geneva on 3 November 1989

Acceptance: Denmark, Netherlands (30 October 1992)*

Approval: European Economic Community (30 October 1992)*

Ratification: Greece, Ireland, Italy, Portugal and United Kingdom (30 October 1992)*

Vienna Convention on Succession of States in respect of Treaties, concluded at Vienna on 23 August 1978

Accession: Ukraine (26 October 1992)*

Vienna Convention for the protection of the Ozone Layer, concluded at Vienna on 22 March 1985

Accession: Papua New Guinea (27 October 1992)*

Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer, concluded at Montreal on 16 September 1987

Accession: Papua New Guinea (30 October 1992)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chairmen of the regional groups

The following information regarding the Chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of November has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Mauritius
H.E. Mr. Satteeanund Peerthum

Asian States:
United Arab Emirates
H.E. Mr. Mohammad J. Samhan

Eastern European States:
Azerbaijan
H.E. Mr. Hassan Aziz Ogly Hassanov

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Venezuela
H.E. Mr. Diego Arria

Western European and Other States:
Spain
H.E. Mr. Don Juan Antonio Yañez-Barnuevo

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Security

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